

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA - OAKLAND DIVISION

11 CRAIG YATES, an individual,

12 Plaintiff,

13 vs.

14 DELANO RETAIL PARTNERS LLC, et al.,

15 Defendants.

CASE NO. CV 10-03073-CW

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING
DEFENDANT'S APPLICATION TO MEET AND
CONFER TELEPHONICALLY REGARDING
ALL DISCOVERY DISPUTES**

DISCOVERY MATTER

Judge: Chief Magistrate Judge Marie-Elena James

Assigned to: Honorable Claudia Wilken

Trial Date: None Set

1 Having reviewed the Application to Meet and Confer Telephonically filed by counsel for
2 defendant Arthur S. Becker, Trustee of the Arthur S. Becker Revocable Living Trust, and finding good
3 cause therein, the Court rules as follow:

4 1. The parties are exempted from the Court's requirement that they meet and confer in
5 person in an attempt to resolve discovery disputes before filing any discovery-related motions. The
6 parties may meet and confer by telephone instead.

7 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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9 DATED: June 18, 2012, 2012



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